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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

YOSHIKO IIDA ET AL.

Application No.: 09/987,779

Filed: November 16, 2001

For: IMAGE PROCESSING
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 28, 2006, please amend the
above-identified application as follows, the changes to the claims being reflected in the
listing that begins at page 2, and the Remarks beginning at page 6:

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